

Animal Establishment Permit

Kennel Permit

The basic requirements for a private kennel permit are:
One must have at least a 2-½ acre minimum parcel size.

The following two permits are also required:

1. Special Use Permit (SUP) – This permit is handled through the Code Enforcement Office of the San Bernardino County Land Use Services Department. This permit covers the land use requirements. Their phone numbers are (909) 387-4044 or 1-800-722-3181.

2. Kennel Permit – This permit is obtained from our office, Preventive Veterinary Services (PVS), with the San Bernardino County Public Health Department. It is issued in lieu of licensing each dog individually. The processing time can take from two weeks to a month. We can be reached at (909) 387-4862.

These permits only allow 15 adult dogs (four months of age and older). If a person wants to keep more than 15 adult dogs or does not have 2-½ acres, they would have to apply for a Conditional Use Permit (CUP). The permit is obtained from the Planning Division of the San Bernardino County Land Use Services Department. This permit is quite expensive and very involved. Their phone number is (909) 387-4131.



For information on the following permits, call (909) 387-4862.

- Animal Menagerie
- Auction/Vendor
- Calf Ranch
- Cattery
- Exotic Animal
- Game Bird Farm
- Hog Ranch
- Kennel
- Pet Grooming
- Pet Shop
- Petting Zoo

For Animal Establishment complaints, call (909) 387-4862.

